## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,	)	INFORMATION	CR	13-221	RHK
Plaintiff,	)	18 U.S.C. § 371			
v.	)				
JAMES BRYAN CROOK,	)			`	
Defendant.	)				•

The United States Attorney charges that:

## **COUNT 1**(Conspiracy to Commit Wire Fraud)

In or about 2007, in the State and District of Minnesota, the defendant,

## JAMES BRYAN CROOK,

knowingly and intentionally conspired and agreed with other individuals to execute a scheme to defraud mortgage lenders and to obtain money by means of false and fraudulent pretenses, namely, a mortgage fraud scheme utilizing interstate wire communications, all in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 371.

Respectfully submitted,

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